#DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION

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Attorney Docket No.: 33497	Application Number: <u>09/832,587</u>	
First Named Inventor: Silvia Allegro	Filing Date: April 11, 2001	
	Group Art Unit:	
	Examiner Name:	
As a below named inventor, I hereby dec	clare that:	
My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.		
I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:		
"METHOD FOR ELIMINATING SPURIOUS SIGNAL OF AN AUDITORY SYSTEM, API HEARING AID"		
the specification of which (check only one item	below)	
[] is attached hereto,	·	

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

(MM/DD/YYYY) ____ (if applicable).

[x] was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) <u>April 11, 2001</u> as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number <u>09/832,587</u> and was amended on

OR

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint practitioners at Customer No. 000116 as my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, new and useful improvements have been made by the undersigned in

"METHOD FOR ELIMINATING SPURIOUS SIGNAL COMPONENTS IN AN INPUT SIGNAL OF AN AUDITORY SYSTEM, APPLICATION OF THE METHOD, AND A HEARING AID"

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on April 11, 2001, which application is identified by Serial No. 09/832,587 (Pearne & Gordon LLP Docket No. 33497).

WHEREAS, Phonak AG, a corporation of Switzerland, having a place of business at Laubistrütistrasse 28, CH-8712 Stäfa, Switzerland, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring all right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to, and under said improvements and inventions and patent rights therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, all right, title, and interest, in the United States and throughout the world, in, to and under said improvements and inventions and all patents, patent applications, patent rights, and inventors' certificates thereof, therefor, and therein, including without limitation said application for patent in the United States, all divisions and continuations thereof, all patents which may be granted thereon, all reissues and extensions thereof, all right to sue for past infringement thereunder, all patents which may be granted for said improvements and inventions by states or nations other than the United States, or by other authority, entity, or organization, and all applications therefor, have been and are hereby sold, assigned, transferred, and delivered unto assignee, its successors and assigns; and it is covenanted and agreed by the undersigned, and for executors, administrators, and legal representatives of the undersigned, that at assignee's request any and all applications, affidavits, assignments, and other instruments will be made, executed, and delivered as may be necessary, or desirable to secure for or vest in assignee, its successors or assigns, any improvement, inventions, right, title, interest, application, patent, patent right or other right or property covered by this assignment, and the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby requested and authorized to issue any and all United States patents granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under the same, and appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries are hereby authorized to issue any letters patent granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under the same.

The undersigned hereby grant the firm of Pearne & Gordon LLP the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed below by the undersigned:

Signature: Silvia Allegro

Signature: G.F. 2001

Date I Signed Declaration: G.F. 2001

Witness: Witness: G. Hans-Ueli Roeck

Signature: M. Roll

Today's Date: 24. F. 2001

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Witness: C. Kabelt